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SUBJECT: NORWEGIAN PARLIAMENTARY TOUR TO NATO, SHAPE AND SIXTH FLEET

1. TO INCREASE UNDERSTANDING OF ALLIANCE DEFENSE PROBLEMS, POLITICAL-MILITARY SITUATION IN NORTHERN, CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN AREAS, AND NATO VIEWS ON CSCE AND MBFR, AMEMBASSY OSLO REQUESTS ADDRESSEES' COOPERATION IN ORGANIZING TOUR BY KEY NORWEGIAN MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT TO BRUSSELS, CASTEAU, NAPLES AND SIXTH FLEET DURING THE PERIOD NOVEMBER 4-10.

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2. THERE WILL BE FIVE TOUR PARTICIPANTS, ALL MEMBERS OF EITHER THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF DEFENSE COMMITTEES OF

PARLIAMENT, OR OF THE PARTY PARLIAMENTARY STEERING GROUPS.
THEY WILL BE ESCORTED BY THE INFORMATION OFFICER AND TENTATIVELY
BY THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF MISSION. NAMES AND BIODATA OF PARTICIPANTS
WILL BE CABLED IN NEAR FUTURE.

3. PROPOSED SCHEDULE AND PROGRAMMING:
FRIDAY NOVEMBER 2 - MEETING WITH CINCSOUTH, BRIEFINGS
ON CURRENT SITUATION NORTHER FLANK.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 4 - ETA BRUSSELS 1620 HOURS.

MONDAY NOVEMBER 5 - MEETINGS WITH NORWEGIAN MISSION TO
NATO, ASSISTANT SECRETARY GENERAL FOR
DEFENSE PLANNING AND POLICY, SYG'S
CHEF DU CABINET, U.S. PERM REP OR DCM,
SECRETARY GENERAL LUNS, AND THE ASST.
SECRETARY GENERAL FOR SCIENTIFIC AND
ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS.

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 6 - VISIT TO SHAPE FOR BRIEFINGS BY A PANEL
OF HIGH LEVEL STAFF OFFERS, AND IF
POSSIBLE A Q & A SESSION WITH GENERAL
GOODPASTER SIMILAR TO THE HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL
ONE HELD LAST APRIL WITH NORWEGIAN
PARLIAMENTARY AND MEDIA LEADERS.

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 7 - ETD BRUSSELS 0910 HOURS FOR FLIGHT TO
MILAN AND NAPLES ARRIVING 1255 HOURS.

NOVEMBER 8, 9 - PROGRAM SHOULD INCLUDE MEETING WITH
CINCSOUTH FOR DISCUSSION MEDITERRANEAN
SITUATION AND SIXTH FLEET COMMANDER,
OVERNIGHT VISIT TO U.S. CARRIER TO
VIEW FLIGHT OPERATIONS AND MEET WITH
TASK FORCE COMMANDER, ETC.

ETD NAPLES WOULD BE NOVEMBER 10.

ACTION REQUESTED: APPRECIATE SOONEST CONFIRMATION PROGRAM
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DATES ACCEPTABLE AND NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF OFFICER
ASSIGNED RESPONSIBILITY FOR COORDINATING NAPLES AND SIXTH
FLEET PROGRAMMING. APPROPRIATE HOTEL RESERVATIONS SINGLE
WITH BATH FOR EACH PARTICIPANT AND ESCORTS SHOULD ALSO BE
MADE.
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